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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re App : Carol W. Readhead et al : December 14, 2006

S.N.: 10/054,365 : Art Unit 1632

Filed: November 12, 2001: Examiner Anoop K. Singh

For : TRANSFECTION, STORAGE AND TRANSFER OF

MALE GERM CELLS FOR GENERATION OF

TRANSGENIC SPECIES AND GENETIC THERAPIES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time to respond to an Official Action mailed June 15, 2006 in the above-captioned patent application.

A check in the amount of \$900.00 is enclosed to cover the cost of the three-month extension of time. A one-month extension has already been paid so \$120.00 has been subtracted from the \$1020.00 three-month fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required by this paper and any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 08-1265.

Respectfully submitted, NIKOLAI & MERSEREAU, P.A.

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